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In re Application of:)
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KAW YAN CHUA ET AL.)
) Attorney Docket No. **11747.105002**
Application No. **10/526,120**) (NUS002)
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Filed: **July 14, 2005**) Examiner: **Nora Maureen Rooney**
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For: **RECOMBINANT NUCLEIC ACID USEFUL FOR**) Art Unit: **1644**
INDUCING PROTECTIVE IMMUNE RESPONSE)
AGAINST ALLERGENS)

FIRST AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 28, 2008, please enter the following amendment and consider the following remarks. Enclosed with this Response is a Petition for a three month extension of time, extending the period for response up to, and including, May 28, 2009 along with the required fee.

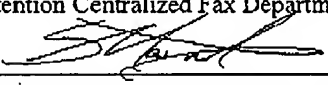
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